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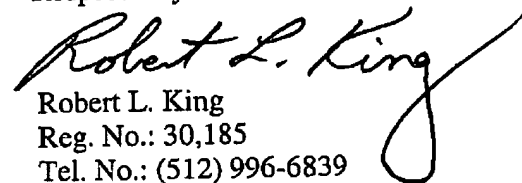
In an Office Action mailed August 6, 2003, pending claims 1-39 were made the subject of an election under 35 U.S.C. 121. A first invention was identified as being recited by claims 1-14 and 28-39 and a second invention was identified as being recited by claims 15-27.

The basis for the restriction requirement was the fact that the pending apparatus claims can be used in materially different processes other than the process of using the product recited in claims 15-27. Claims 15-27 provide a method of forming a semiconductor device using projected radiation through the recited mask to form an image on resist.

Therefore, Applicants herein elect Invention I of claims 1-14 and 28-39. Applicants herein cancel claims 15-27 while reserving the right to later file such claims in a divisional application. No amendment of inventorship is herein required as a result of this election. No additional fees are required as a result of the requested amendments.

Applicants respectfully request consideration of the amendments and the allowance of claims 1-14 and 28-39, thereby placing the application in condition for allowance. Should issues remain that might be subject to resolution through a telephonic interview, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at (512) 996-6839.

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